

Appl. No. 10/749,069  
Amendment C  
Reply to Office Action mailed Aug. 9, 2006


**REMARKS**

Applicant does not agree with the Examiner's conclusion of non-allowability of various of the pending claims. However, various amendments have been made to the pending claims; some of them have been canceled, so as to place the present application in condition for allowance.

Allowance of the application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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